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**INTERVIEW SUMMARY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.133(b)**

A telephone interview was conducted with Examiner Ralph Lewis on September 5, 2008. During the interview, Applicant discussed the present 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) rejections over Ross and Banner, as well as the 35 U.S.C. § 112 rejections concerning the second embodiment. While no definitive agreement was reached, Examiner Lewis agreed in principle that the subject matter of the claims could be distinguished from the currently applied references. Applicant agreed to review the claims and consider amending the claims to clarify these distinctions.

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